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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: J.F. Tait et al. Attorney Docket No. UWOTL117625
Application No.: 09/970,969 Group Art Unit: 1642
Filed: October 3, 2001 Examiner: S.J. Huff
Title: ANNEXIN DERIVATIVES WITH ENDOGENOUS CHELATION SITES

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE
AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Seattle, Washington 98101

June 7, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Response Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified application. No additional claim fee is required, as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	15	Minus	62	=	0	x	9	=	0.00
Independent Claims	8	Minus	22	=	0	x	43	=	0.00
Total Additional Fee for this Amendment									\$0.00

B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any

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overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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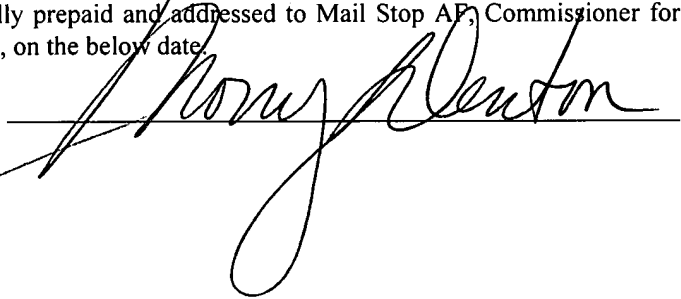


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RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

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March 11, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed April 5, 2004, please enter the following remarks.

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